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To the honorable Magistrate Judge Mahoney,
and his honorable court, I would like for Mr.
Frank Cook to withdraw as my attorney. There has
been conflict in this client - attorney relationship
and irreconcilable differences since 11-26-07
when he was first appointed as my legal representa-
tion. We have argued on many occasions, on the
phone, In person, and he has not been to see
me in the Ogle County jail to go over anything
that is relevant to this case. This conflict of
interest is an ongoing problem and I feel as if
it can only grow worse. I feel that he is a
threat to my freedom and is incapable of represent-
ing me in a fair and equal manner. Please at
your earliest convenience appoint me an attorney
who'll fight for my freedom like it were his. Thank
You for your time and the opportunity to express
my feelings.

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Mark Cooper

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MAGISTRATE JUDGE P. MICHAEL MAHONEY
United States District Court